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Applicant: Roberto Zappa Examiner:  
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Title: SAFETY SWITCH WITH AN ELECTRONIC  
PROGRAMMABLE SYSTEM

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Prior to examination of the above-captioned application, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please delete the title and insert the following new title:

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